THE CHAIRMAN: Is there a second?

(Whereupon, the motion was duly seconded.)

THE CHAIRMAN: All those in favor, signify by saying Aye; contrary, No. The Ayes have it. It is so ordered.

(Whereupon, at 10:45 P.M., the Committee of the Whole rose, and the Convention reconvened.)

(The mace was replaced by the Sergeant-at-Arms.)

PLENARY SESSION DECEMBER 13, 1967—10:45 P.M.

PRESIDENT H. VERNON ENEY, PRESIDING

THE PRESIDENT: The Convention will please come to order.

On behalf of the Committee of the Whole the Chair reports that the Committee has had under consideration Committee Recommendation R&P-2, that it still has it under consideration, and desires leave to sit again.

For what purpose does Delegate Schloeder rise?

DELEGATE SCHLOEDER: Mr. Chairman, I rise on an announcement, if it is in order at this time.

THE PRESIDENT: You may make the announcement.

DELEGATE SCHLOEDER: Delegate Scanlan has asked me to announce that immediately upon adjournment there will be a meeting in the basement of Shaw House, the Rules Committee office, southwest corner, for all those who would like to further investigate the laws of mathematical probability.

THE CHAIRMAN: Are there any announcements by committee chairmen?

Delegate Penniman.

DELEGATE PENNIMAN: Mr. Chairman, the Committee on Style and Drafting will meet tomorrow morning at 8:30 A.M.

THE PRESIDENT: Are there any other announcements by committee chairmen?

(There was no response.)

Are there any announcements by other persons?

(There was no response.)

THE PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Delegate Powers.

Just a second.

All persons not present at roll call may indicate their presence now on supplemental roll call.

The Clerk will record the supplemental roll call.

The Chair recognizes Delegate Powers.

DELEGATE POWERS: Mr. President, I move we adjourn until 10:00 A.M. tomorrow morning.

THE PRESIDENT: Please note that the motion is to adjourn until 10:00 A.M. tomorrow morning, but please also keep in mind that it will be necessary, and we will have an evening session tomorrow.

All those in favor, signify by saying Aye; contrary, No. The Ayes have it. It is so ordered.

(Whereupon, at 10:47 P.M., the Convention was adjourned to reconvene at 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, December 14, 1967.)

PLENARY SESSION

DECEMBER 14, 1967—10:09 A.M.

PRESIDENT H. VERNON ENEY, PRESIDING

THE PRESIDENT: The Sergeant-at-Arms will clear the aisles and close the doors.

The Convention will please come to order.

The invocation this morning will be offered by the Reverend Don B. Lowe of Bosley Methodist Church, in Baltimore County.

This gives me particular pleasure, because Reverend Lowe is my minister.

REVEREND LOWE: Let us pray.

Oh Lord God, we invoke your blessing upon the proceedings of this day, upon all those who labor for the benefits of a more just and viable tool in our state government, upon the dialogue and the free conversation that takes place here so that the goals of this Constitutional Convention might be more readily and speedily realized.

Grant us the gift of your Spirit as our spirits touch one another so that our common efforts might produce new insights